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Sir :

Responsive to the Office Action of August 25, 2008, reconsideration and withdrawal of the rejections made therein are respectfully requested in view of the following remarks. Inasmuch as the Office Action sets a three-month shortened statutory period for response, to end November 25, 2008, no fee is believed due at this time. However, if any extensions of time are necessary, this is an express request for any required extension of time to maintain the pendency of the application, and authorization to charge any required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

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